Coss 1-1-1

IN THE UNIFED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

GP 27

atent Application

ant(s): M.J. Coss et al.

Case:

1-1-1

Serial No.:

08/927,382

Filing Date:

September 12, 1997

Group:

2787

Examiner:

Robert Crockett

Title:

Methods and Apparatus for a Computer Network Firewall with Multiple Domain

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited on this date with the

U.S. Postal Service as first class mail addressed to the Assistant

Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Support

TRANSMITTAL OF APPEAL BRIEF

RECEIVED

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

JUL 2 1 2000

Sir:

GROUP 2700

Submitted herewith are the following documents relating to the above-identified patent application:

- (1) Appeal Brief (original and three copies); and
- (2) Copy of Notice of Appeal, filed on April 27, 2000, with copy of stamped return postcard indicating receipt of Notice by PTO on May 1, 2000.

Please extend the period for response by one month to August 1, 2000. Please charge Lucent Technologies Deposit Account No. 12-2325 the amount of \$410 (\$300 to cover this submission under 37 CFR §1.17(c) and \$110 to cover the one month extension fee). In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 12-2325 as required to correct the error. A duplicate copy of this letter and triplicate copies of the Appeal Brief are enclosed.

07/19/2000 CHEUYEN 00000060 122325 08927382

110.00 CH

Date: July 14, 2000

Respectfully submitted,

William E. Lewis

Attorney for Applicant(s)

Reg. No. 39,274

90 Forest Avenue

Locust Valley, NY 11560

(516) 759-2946